

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Third Quarter Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
July - September 2002**

Juvenile Court **HAWKINS**  
Court Number **37**

July - September 2002                      455 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      312 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
2	OR	0.40% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
10	OR	2.00% Assault
1	OR	0.20% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Burglary
23	OR	4.61% Theft of Property
8	OR	1.60% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
1	OR	0.20% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
6	OR	1.20% Other Drug Offenses
2	OR	0.40% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.20% Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
2	OR	0.40% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
0	OR	0.00% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
7	OR	1.40% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
2	OR	0.40% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Impersonation
3	OR	0.60% Disorderly Conduct
8	OR	1.60% Criminal Trespass
3	OR	0.60% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
113	OR	22.65% Traffic
3	OR	0.60% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
10	OR	2.00% Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Aftercare
20	OR	4.01% Unruly Behavior
12	OR	2.40% Truancy
14	OR	2.81% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
31	OR	6.21% Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00% Violation of a Valid Court Order
6	OR	1.20% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Dependency/Neglect
9	OR	1.80% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
52	OR	10.42% Foster Care Review
69	OR	13.83% Custody
8	OR	1.60% Visitation
8	OR	1.60% Paternity/Legitimation
2	OR	0.40% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
63	OR	12.63% Other
499	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 455 Cases, There Were  
Referral Source

499 Referral Sources

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211	OR	42.3% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
81	OR	16.2% Were Referred By Parents
36	OR	7.2% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
41	OR	8.2% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
85	OR	17.0% Were Referred By DCS
3	OR	0.6% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
8	OR	1.6% Were Referred By Court Staff
1	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
22	OR	4.4% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
10	OR	2.0% Other
499	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 455 Cases, There Were 499 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

302	OR	60.5% Petition Filed
11	OR	2.2% Motion Filed
104	OR	20.8% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
2	OR	0.4% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
79	OR	15.8% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
1	OR	0.2% Does Not Apply
499	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 455 Cases:

#### **Type Of Detention**

6	OR	1.3% Non-Secure Placement
34	OR	7.5% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
415	OR	91.2% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
455	OR	100.0% Total

#### **Placement After Secure Detention Hearing**

30	OR	6.6% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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4	OR	0.9% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
5	OR	1.1% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
2	OR	0.4% Unknown
413	OR	90.8% Does Not Apply
1	OR	0.2% Other
455	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

312 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

64	OR	20.5% Birth Through Age 10
25	OR	8.0% Ages 11 Through 12
46	OR	14.7% Ages 13 Through 14
100	OR	32.1% Ages 15 Through 16
72	OR	23.1% Age 17 Through 18
3	OR	1.0% Age 19 And Over
2	OR	0.6% Unknown/Not Reported
312	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

180	OR	57.7% Male
132	OR	42.3% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
312	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

304	OR	97.4% White
5	OR	1.6% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
1	OR	0.3% Asian
1	OR	0.3% Mixed Race
1	OR	0.3% Unknown
312	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 312 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

6	OR	1.9% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

54	OR	17.3% Living With Both Biological Parents
4	OR	1.3% Living With Father And Stepmother
26	OR	8.3% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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88	OR	28.2% Living With Mother
23	OR	7.4% Living With Father
52	OR	16.7% Living With Relatives
2	OR	0.6% Living With Adoptive Parents
32	OR	10.3% Living With Foster Family
14	OR	4.5% Living In A Group Home
1	OR	0.3% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
8	OR	2.6% Living Independently
2	OR	0.6% Unknown
6	OR	1.9% Other
312	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

255	OR	81.7% Were Enrolled In School
48	OR	15.4% Were Not Enrolled In School
9	OR	2.9% Unknown
312	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

34	OR	10.9% Too Young For School
2	OR	0.6% Pre-School
1	OR	0.3% Finished Kindergarten
2	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 1
4	OR	1.3% Finished Grade 2
7	OR	2.2% Finished Grade 3
10	OR	3.2% Finished Grade 4
5	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 5
16	OR	5.1% Finished Grade 6
4	OR	1.3% Finished Grade 7
51	OR	16.3% Finished Grade 8
32	OR	10.3% Finished Grade 9
50	OR	16.0% Finished Grade 10
48	OR	15.4% Finished Grade 11
6	OR	1.9% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
2	OR	0.6% GED
5	OR	1.6% Graduated
1	OR	0.3% Never Been In School
32	OR	10.3% Unknown
312	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

32	OR	10.3% Were Enrolled In Special Education
248	OR	79.5% Not Enrolled In Special Education
32	OR	10.3% Unknown
312	OR	100.0% Total

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**NOTE:** In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		738 Specific Case Outcomes
47	OR	6.37% Case Dismissed
3	OR	0.41% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
4	OR	0.54% Warned/Counseled
1	OR	0.14% Held Open For Review
10	OR	1.36% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
9	OR	1.22% Probation To Parents
16	OR	2.17% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
5	OR	0.68% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
3	OR	0.41% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
59	OR	7.99% Referred To Defensive Driving School
1	OR	0.14% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
53	OR	7.18% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
3	OR	0.41% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
36	OR	4.88% Fine
12	OR	1.63% Public Service
19	OR	2.57% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
29	OR	3.93% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
30	OR	4.07% DCS Commitment/Custody
3	OR	0.41% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
8	OR	1.08% Other Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
3	OR	0.41% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
9	OR	1.22% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
2	OR	0.27% Order of Reference To DCS
93	OR	12.60% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
52	OR	7.05% Foster Care Continued

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36	OR	4.88% Custody Changed
1	OR	0.14% Custody Unchanged
20	OR	2.71% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
2	OR	0.27% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
2	OR	0.27% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
2	OR	0.27% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
165	OR	22.36% Other
738	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 499 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

381	OR	76.4% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
118	OR	23.6% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
499	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 455 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 499 Referral Reasons Was:

43	OR	8.6% Dismissed
3	OR	0.6% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
278	OR	55.7% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
15	OR	3.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
82	OR	16.4% Informal Adjustment
9	OR	1.8% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
67	OR	13.4% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open
2	OR	0.4% Other
499	OR	100.0% Total